



# **Assessment and Management of Transportation Infrastructure Security using the Inoperability Input-Output Model (IIM)**

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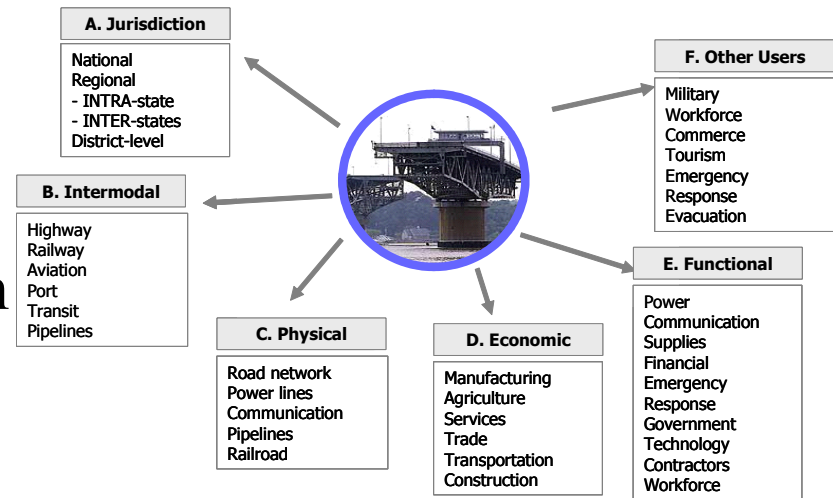
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# Transportation Interdependencies

- The transportation infrastructure is designed to **support other infrastructures and systems** around it; thus it is inherently depended upon and dependent on many other infrastructures.
- **Economic recovery** after a major incident is closely tied with transportation as it enables **workers** to go back to their jobs, and commodities to be delivered.



## Examples of **Interdependencies**:

- **Geographical/Jurisdictional**
- **Economic**
- **Intermodal**
- **Other Users**



# The Message of this Presentation

Impress on you the **importance** and **impact** of **infrastructure interdependencies** on:

- **Virginia's economy**
- **Recovery time** following an incident
- Setting **recovery priorities** through quantitative trade-offs
- The **efficacy of risk management** (cost-benefit-risk **with** and **without** risk management)



# Inoperability Input-Output Model (**IIM**) for Modeling Interdependencies

- The Inoperability Input-Output Model (**IIM**) developed by the University of Virginia's Center for Risk Management of Engineering Systems is based on the economic model developed by **Wassily Leontief, for which he received the Nobel Prize in Economics in 1973.**
- The **IIM provides decisionmakers with a tool** for systemically **prioritizing economically critical sectors** and identifies those sectors whose **continued operability is critical during recovery operations.**



# Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA) Database

- Economic data from the Bureau of Economic Analysis (**BEA**) constitute the foundation of the **IIM**.
- BEA publishes I-O data of the entire U.S. Economy.
  - **\$80+ million annual budget.**
  - Actual data from Census records.
    - Regional, State, National, International Data
    - Output, prices, employment, commodity use and manufacturing etc...



## Deployment of the IIM

- Defense Threat Reduction Agency (**DTRA**): Impact on the Northern Command, Colorado Springs
- **Commission** on High Altitude Electro-Magnetic Pulse (**EMP**) Attacks Against the United States
- Department of Homeland Security (**DHS**): Exercise for Sub-Cabinet-Level Officials
- **VDOT-VTRC** (On-Going Project)



# Databases Used for the Transportation Interdependency Analysis

## TRANSPORTATION ASSET FAILURE:

Closure

Congestion

Collapse

## IMPACT:

**(1) Workforce Commute**  
Losses from  
Delayed/Absent Workers  
**Bureau of Labor Statistics**

**(2) Commodity Flow**  
Losses from  
Delayed Commodities  
**Bureau of Transportation  
Statistics**

**(3) Business Accessibility**  
Losses from Business  
Demand Reduction  
**Bureau of Economic  
Analysis**

## DATABASES:

Journey to Work Data

Regional Employment Data

Regional Earnings Data

Commodity Flow (CF) Data  
to Destination

CF Data from Origin

CF Data through Corridors

RIMS II Data

Geographic Location Data





## IIM Case Study A:

# Transportation and Utility Sector Supply Scenario

- Transportation sector comprises of various modes (e.g., transit, trucking, water, air, etc.)
- The utility sector comprises of electric services, natural gas transportation, natural gas distribution, water supply and sewerage systems, sanitary services, steam supply, and irrigation systems
- The annual gross output of transportation and utility sectors in Virginia were approximately \$17B and \$7.5B, respectively based on year 2000 data
- **Consider a simultaneous 10% perturbation to the transportation and utility sectors in Virginia**

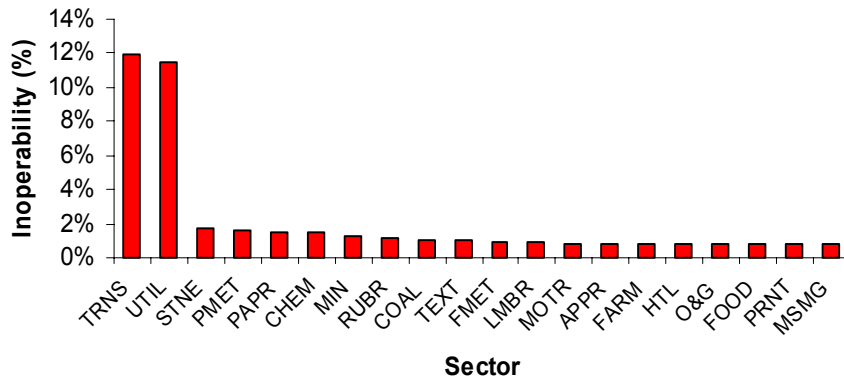


# IIM Case Study A:

## Economic Loss and Inoperability Rankings

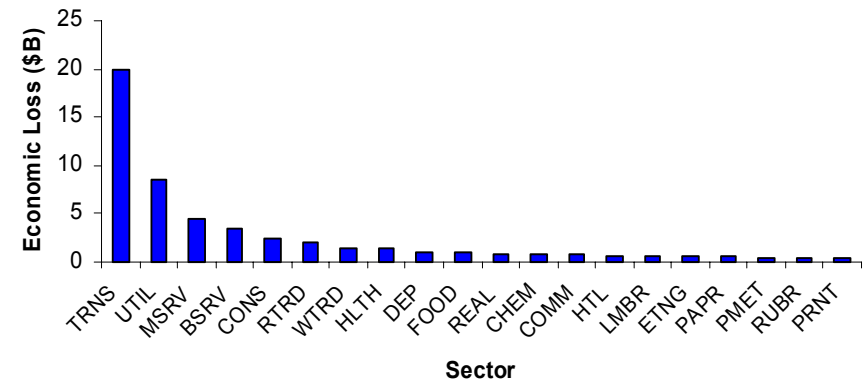
Scenario: **10% Perturbation** to VA transportation and utility sectors

Top-20 Affected Sectors in Terms of Inoperability Impact



TRNS	Transportation
UTIL	Electric, gas, and sanitary services
STNE	Stone, clay, and glass products
PMET	Primary metal industries
PAPR	Paper and allied products
CHEM	Chemicals and allied products and petroleum and coal products
MIN	Metal mining and nonmetallic minerals, except fuels
RUBR	Rubber and miscellaneous plastic products and leather and leather products
COAL	Coal mining
TEXT	Textile mill products

Top-20 Affected Sectors in Terms of Economic Loss Impact



TRNS	Transportation
UTIL	Electric, gas, and sanitary services
MSRV	Miscellaneous services
BSRV	Business services
CONS	Construction
RTRD	Retail trade
WTRD	Wholesale trade
HLTH	Health services
DEP	Depository and nondepository institutions and security and commodity brokers
FOOD	Food and kindred products and tobacco products

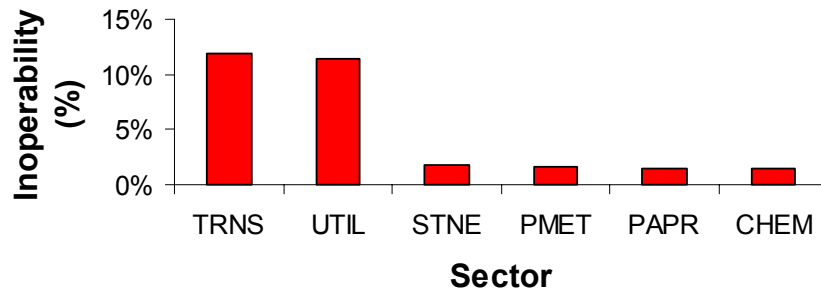


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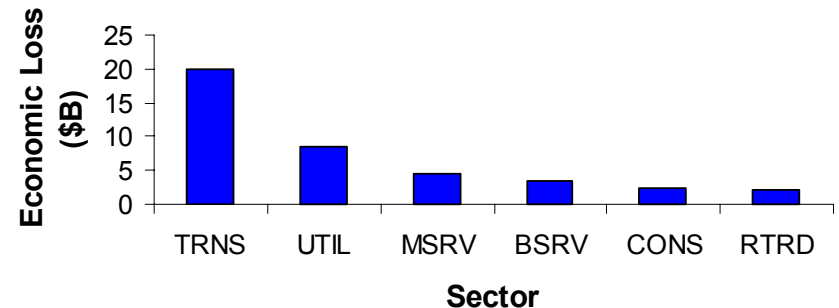
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**Top-5 Affected Sectors in Terms of Inoperability Impact**



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PMET	Primary metal industries
PAPR	Paper and allied products
CHEM	Chemicals and allied products and petroleum and coal products

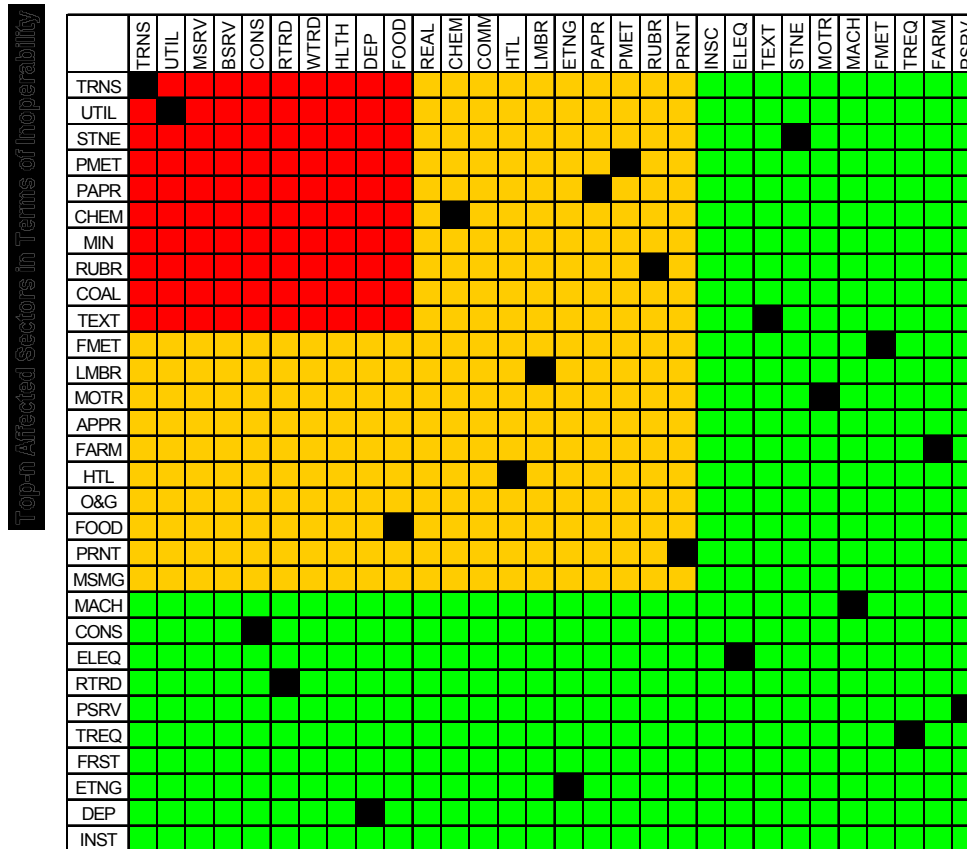
**Top-20 Affected Sectors in Terms of Economic Loss Impact**



TRNS	Transportation
UTIL	Electric, gas, and sanitary services
MSRV	Miscellaneous services
BSRV	Business services
CONS	Construction
RTRD	Retail trade

# IIM Case Study A: Sector Impact Evaluation Matrix

### Top-n Affected Sectors in Terms of Economic Losses



## Scenario:

**10% Perturbation** to VA  
transportation and utility sectors

**Legend:**

- Top-10 Zone
- Top-20 Zone
- Top-30 Zone



# IIM Case Study A:

## Sector Impact Evaluation Matrix

Most Affected Sectors in Terms of Economic Loss

Most Affected Sectors in Terms of Inoperability

	TRNS	UTIL	MSRV	BSRV	CONS	RTRD	WTRD	HLTH	DEP	FOOD	REAL	CHEM	COMM	HTL	LMBR	ETNG	PAPR	PMET	RUBR	PRNT
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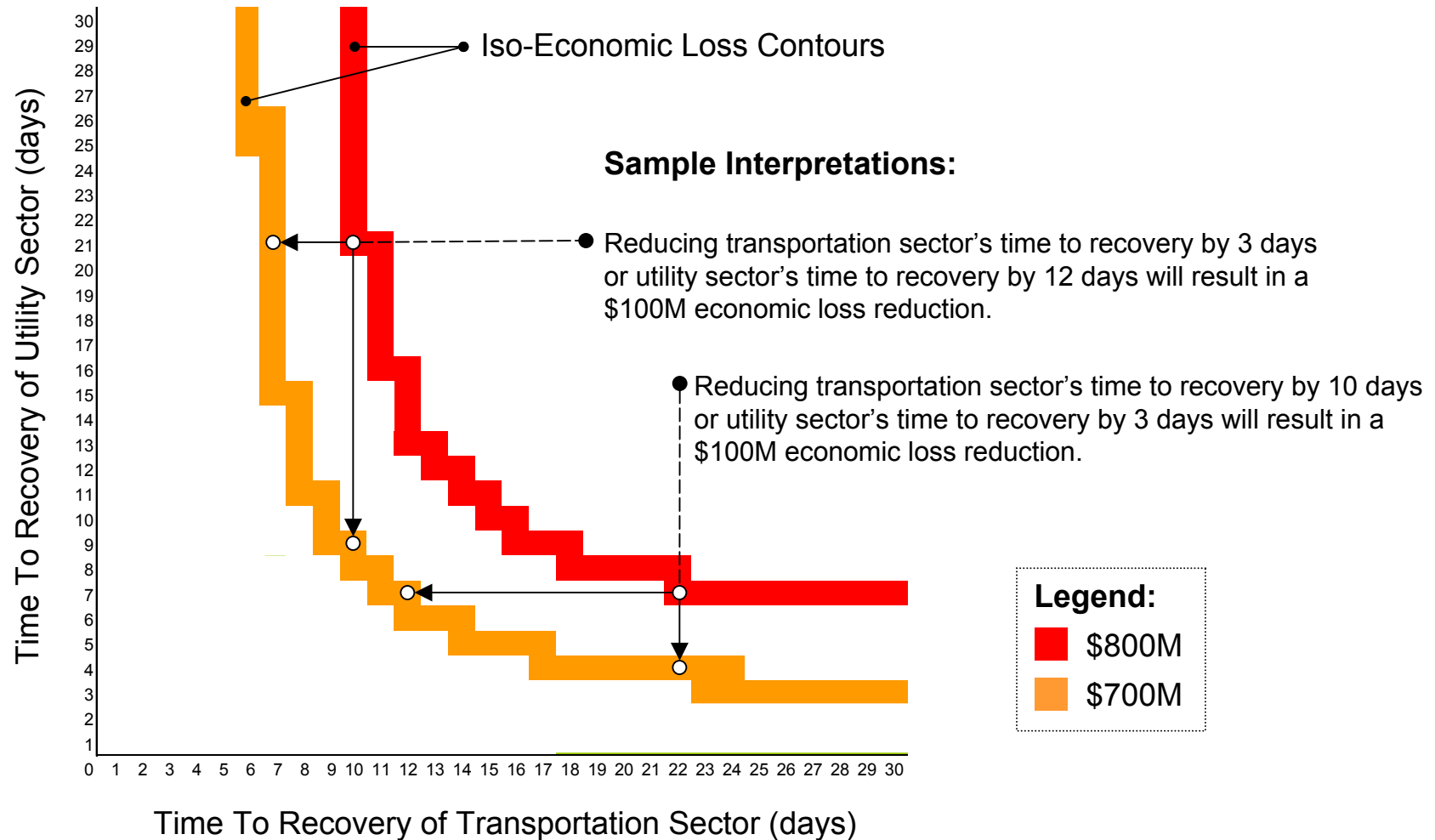
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- Top-10 Zone
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# IIM Case Study A:

## Temporal Sensitivity Analysis (10% Perturbation)





# IIM Case Study B:

## Workforce-IIM Analysis

- Consider a scenario where both **Hampton Roads Bridge-Tunnel** and **Monitor-Merrimac Bridge-Tunnel** will be closed to traffic

### Northwest Region:

- Essex
- Gloucester
- Hampton (city)
- James City & Williamsburg
- King and Queen
- King William
- Mathews
- Middlesex
- Newport News (city)
- York & Poquoson



### Southeast Region:

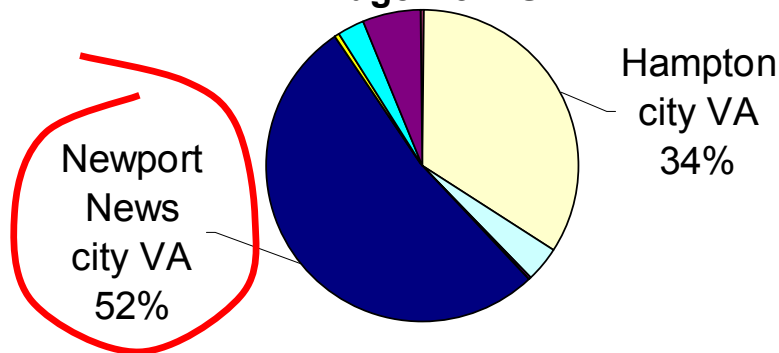
- Accomack
- Chesapeake (city)
- Greensville & Emporia
- Isle of Wight
- Norfolk (city)
- Northampton
- Portsmouth (city)
- Southampton & Franklin
- Suffolk (city)
- Surry
- Sussex
- Virginia Beach (city)

# IIM Case Study B: Journey to Work Data

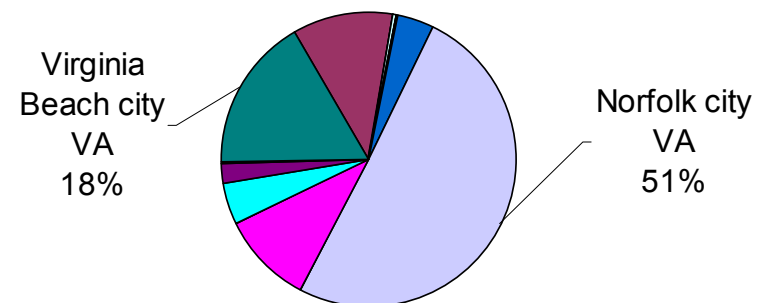


From	To NW	To SE	Totals
NW	214,952	22,658	250,705
SE	22,410	534,551	571,822
To Totals	247,348	563,811	3,164,052

**Destination of Workers Crossing  
Bridge from SE**



**Destination of Workers Crossing Bridge  
from NW**

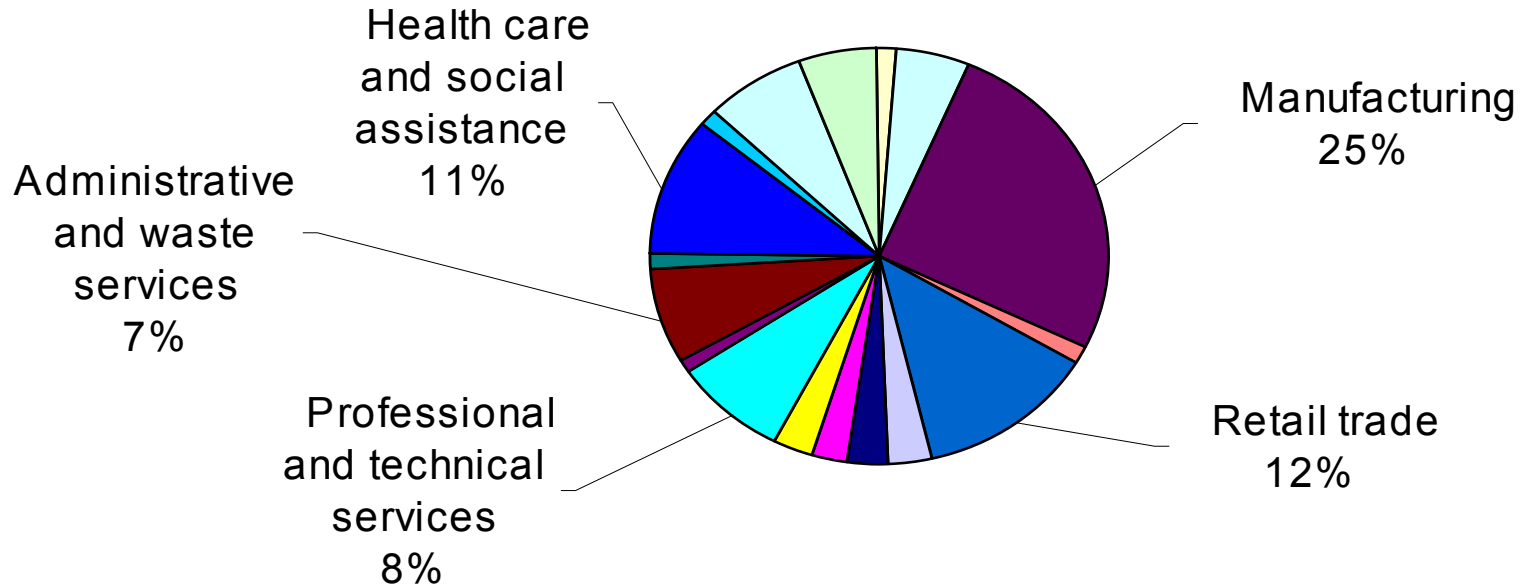






## Workforce-IIM Analysis Using Employment Data (BEA)

### Distribution of Workers in Newport News (12,000 across river)

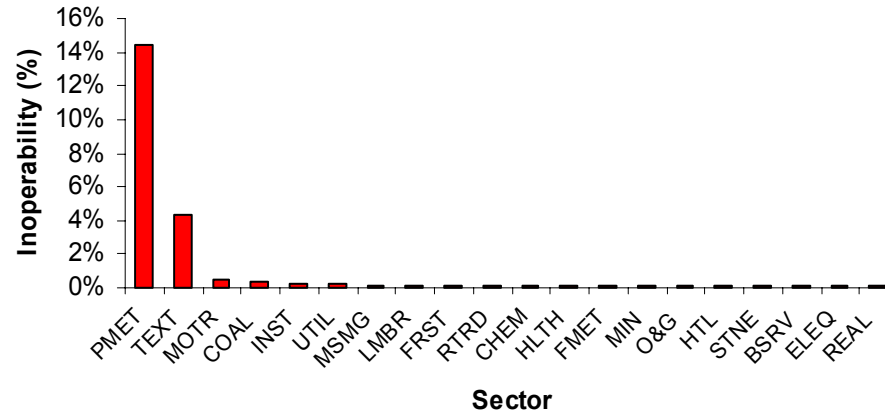




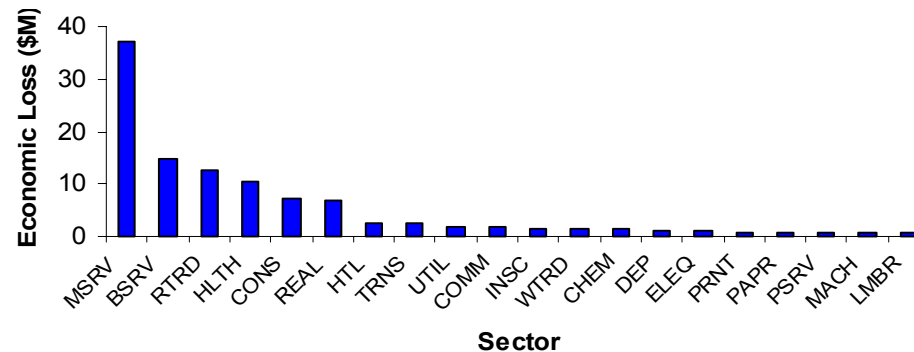
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## Economic Loss and Inoperability Rankings

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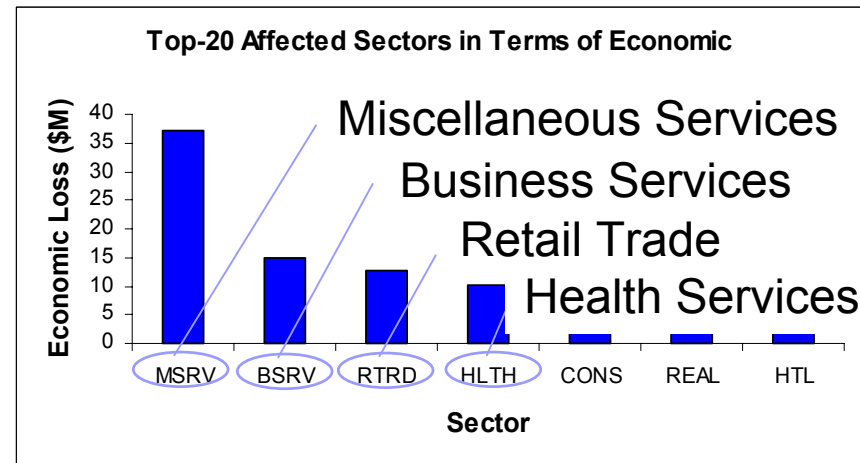
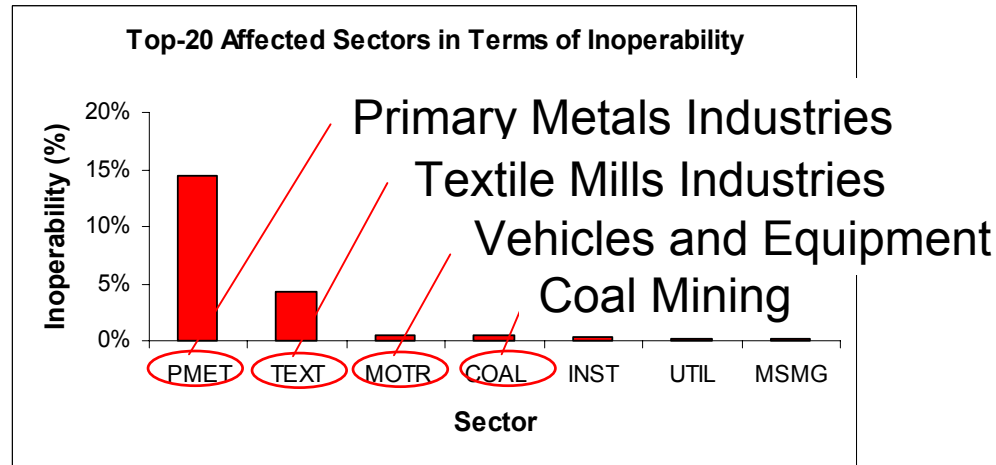


Top-20 Affected Sectors in Terms of Economic



# IIM Case Study B:

## Economic Loss and Inoperability Rankings





# Summary

- There is a need to better manage the **risks of interdependencies** of the transportation infrastructure
- The **impacts** of transportation failure include:
  - Delay in **workforce commute**
  - Delay in **commodity flow**
  - Loss of business accessibility (or **demand reduction**)
  - Impact on **other infrastructures** (electric power, communications, etc.).
- The **IIM** can analyze and quantify impacts of transportation failures on interdependent sectors



# Questions that Can Be Answered by the IIM

- What are the **economic and inoperability impacts** of a terrorist attack on Virginia's economy (or on the national economy)?
- What is **efficacy of risk management**? How can the private sector justify investments in security measures?
- What is the most effective cost-benefit-risk policy for **priority resource allocation** in the recovery?
- What **strategic security measures** in countering terrorism should be followed today in order to minimize future adverse effects?